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The Condition of Highland Avenue

Norfolk, Va., March 25, 1896.

Editor of The Virginian:

I was glad to notice this morning the
attention given by your reporter to the
terrible condition of the sidewalk of
Highland avenue. It is not only one
mass of dirt, but almost impassable for
women and children, and something
ought to be done to remedy this dirty
state of things. Brambleton has a
local board and it should be held re-
sponsible for the condition of the streets
and sidewalks. It is well known that the
Park Avenue Baptist Church has repeatedly
called the attention of the board to the
muddy sidewalks, but so far as we know,
beyond a hearing, no notice whatever has
been taken of these petitions and requests.
Be it said, to the honor of the former board,
that it did take the matter under advisement
and a motion was before it to lay a
double plank from the railroad crossing,
but as the avenue was to be graded and
the corners of the streets brick-paved, it
was thought a brick walk would be
laid and the wooden plank was not
needed. But the brick walk has not
been laid and the sidewalks have been
getting from bad to worse. Now, where
the blame is, and where to lay the
responsibility seems to be the question.
The cost of a plank walk for either
property owners or the ward would be
but a small matter, and it does seem
to us that the board should take the
matter in hand and see that it is done
by somebody.

One word here. Rental agents might
greatly help in this if they would see
that in front of all the houses represent-
ed by them, there is a good walk of
some material or the other. It would
make the property more desirable and
add very much in the general improve-
ment of the place.

I do not wish to be understood as
speaking unkindly of the Local Board.
It is composed of gentlemen who have
the good of the ward at heart, but it
does seem that they should be untiring
in their endeavors to secure the best
sidewalks that can be, and not leave
the matter to take its own course, which
means mud and water and a disgraceful
condition of things.

J. J. HALL.

About Dr. Nansen and the North Pole

St. Petersburg, March 25.—The St. Pe-
tersburg Geographical Society held a
meeting yesterday at which Baron Toll,
the Arctic explorer read a letter which
he had received on March 15th from
Professor Brogger, of Christiania, say-
ing that he (Brogger) had no doubt that
Dr. Nansen had been successful and
was now returning from the North Pole.
When Nansen left him at Tromsø, Pro-
fessor Brogger wrote, he said that he
had calculated upon returning in two
or three years. "The news in regard
to Nansen, which had been telegraphed
a few weeks ago could not have come
from Nansen personally," Professor
Brogger said, "but," he continued, "I
expect him on board the Fram to arrive
in Norway next autumn."

After reading the letter Baron Toll
added: "We also believe in Nansen.
If he does not arrive in the autumn
there will still be time to send an ex-
pedition to explore the new Siberian is-
lands and possibly Sannikof Island."

STEERS SLAUGHTERED

The Home Team Does Some Brilliant Work
With Bat and Ball.

NEW HAVEN TWIRLERS POUNDED HARD.

The Home Team Touches Them Up
for Twenty-One Hits, While the
Visitors Only Score Five—Arm-
strong's Fine Work With the Stick
and in the Field.

All doubt as to the ability of the
young men on the Norfolk team to wield
the stick at the proper moment was dis-
sipated yesterday when they faced the
Sullivan's Texas Steers from New Hav-
en. The Norfolk team went to League
Park expecting to be tossed about on the
horns of the animals, but instead they
corralled the quadrupeds, sawed their
horns off and then, to give the finish-
ing touches, slaughtered them.
About 900 people saw the game, many
ladies among them. The fact that New
Haven has several players from last
season's Norfolk team probably induced
these 900 people to shiver for two hours.
They went there to make comparisons
between the past and present and they
came away satisfied that Norfolk would
hold up her end the coming season.
Stevens, the first man up for Nor-
folk, began the fireworks when he
struck the first ball delivered over the
plate for one base, eventually scoring
on a two-bagger by Armstrong. Pfann-
miller demonstrated the fact that he
could pitch good ball, for the visitors
only scored five hits, with a total of
six bases, and he delivered "foxy" fly
was put in the box by the visitors, but
was touched up so lively that he was
taken out in the fourth inning and
Garvin substituted, the latter being re-
lieved in the seventh inning by Mackey.
But the home boys touched them up for
twenty-one hits, with a total of twenty-
five bases.

The features of the game were the
brilliant fielding and batting of Arm-
strong, who scored four hits, with a
total of six bases, and a sensational
running and aerobic catch of Hodge's
fly to deep left field by McFarlan.

Yesterday was the first time the New
Haven men have played together and
brilliant work was not expected from
them. But they surprised us by repaying
the Norfolk boys with interest.

The score yesterday was:

	AB.	R.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Stevens, T. F.	6	2	2	2	1	0	0	0
McFarlan, C. F.	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	0
Armstrong, C. F.	6	3	4	7	0	0	0	0
Turner, R. F.	5	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Hodge, C. F.	5	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Wentz, T. F.	5	1	2	4	0	0	0	0
Meredith, C. F.	4	2	2	1	0	1	0	0
Ramp, I. B.	5	2	3	8	0	0	0	0
Pfannmiller, P.	4	3	1	0	8	0	0	0
Totals	47	19	21	27	15	4	0	0

NEW HAVEN.

	AB.	R.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Hodge, C. F.	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
O'Hagan, J. B.	4	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Keefe, R. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Boyle, S. F.	4	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
Thornton, C. F.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
O'Connor, J. B.	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Gilman, T. B.	4	1	1	3	3	1	0	0
Schuler, R. F.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Fry, P. F.	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Garvin, P.	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
Mackey, P.	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	2	5	27	18	4	0	0

The score by innings:

Norfolk	3	0	0	1	3	3	1	—16
New Haven	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Two-base hits—Armstrong (2), Turner,
Gilman. Three-base hits—McFarlan.
Bases on balls—By Pfannmiller, 1; by
Garvin, 2; by Mackey, 1. Hit by pitched
ball—By Pfannmiller, 2; by Garvin, 1.
Left on bases—Norfolk, 3; New Haven, 5.
Double plays—Wentz and Langford;
Thornton, Hodge and O'Hagan. Time
of game—Two hours. Umpire—Bailey.

Want Police Protection.

The merchants doing business north
of Freemason, south of Bute and west
of Church street, will today send to the
Police Board a petition, asking that more
policemen be placed on duty in that sec-
tion. The petitioners point to the num-
ber of robberies recently committed in
their neighborhood and say that two
men are insufficient to cover the district
named.

AMUSEMENTS.

ADA REHAN.—The coming visit here
of Ada Rehan, and the famous Augus-
tine Daly Comedy Company, will be her-
alded with pleasure by that large class
of theatre-goers who appreciate comedy
when presented in its most attractive
form. Miss Rehan will be seen here on
Saturday evening, March 25th, in Shake-
speare's delightful comedy, "The Taming
of the Shrew," and it is gratifying to
announce that in the role of Katharine
she has achieved one of her most dis-
tinct and brilliant successes. The
Boston Advertiser, in speaking of her
recently, said: "Judged as an artist it
is not difficult to place her. Surely no
American actress excels her in delicacy
and grace, in dignity, force and fire.
Over Ellen Terry, Miss Rehan has the
considerable advantage of greater youth,
both actually and in her impersonation.
She is quite as vivacious and efferves-
cent, and often more brilliant. Her ver-
satility is broader than that of any other
American actress." The sale of seats for
this unusual event has begun.

Among Our Cotton Men.

Clear weather in cotton belt.
New York future contract market de-
clined 5/16 points, closing quiet. Sales,
134,000 bales. May, 7 1/16; 7 1/2; August,
7 1/2; 7 1/2; October, 7 1/2; 7 1/2.
Bar silver in London, 31 1/2-16d., ad-
vanced, 1-16d.
Liverpool future contract market de-
clined 3/4 points, closing quiet.
Consols, 109 13/16-16d., advanced 1-16.
New Orleans future contract market
declined 1/2 points, closing quiet and
steady. Sales, 28,700 bales.
Receipts at the United States ports
yesterday were 11,200 bales, against
15,445 bales last year and 6,308 bales
in 1894.
New Orleans estimates for to-day are
at from 2,100 to 2,500 bales, against 9,547
bales last year and 3,350 bales in 1894.

THE POLITICAL FIELD.

The Lamb Republicans to Elect Dele-
gates To-Night.

The Lamb faction of the Republican
party will to-night elect delegates to a
convention to be held at St. Paul street, to-morrow
night. This latter convention will elect
delegates from this city to the district
and State conventions. The meetings
to-night will be held at the following
places:

First Ward—First Precinct: Hunter
Wood's Hall, Fenchurch street. Sec-
ond Precinct: No. 9 Burriss street.
Second Ward—First Precinct: No. 72
Talbot street. Second Precinct: Law-
rence's oyster-house, Granby street.
Third Ward—First Precinct: Good
Samaritan Hall, St. Paul street. Second
Precinct: Williams' Hall, 160 Queen
street.

Fourth Ward—First Precinct: Wil-
liams' Hall, Jefferson street. Second
Precinct: 411 Church street.
Fifth Ward—Acker's Hall.
Sixth Ward—Old Fellows' Hall, At-
lantic City.

These meetings have been called by
Col. Waddy, elected chairman by the
State Executive Committee.

The Richmond State of yesterday has
the following:
"A very interesting circular to the
anti-Lamb Republicans has fallen into
their hands within the last day or two.
It is signed by Mr. Alvah H. Martin, of
Norfolk, a member of the Executive
Committee of the Republican State Com-
mittee, and is addressed to the city and
county chairmen throughout the State.
It is virtually a begging circular and
begs them to have their county con-
gress and endorse Colonel Lamb as State
Chairman and his methods.

"The circular lauds the Colonel higher
than the City Hall tower, and holds that
he has been the object of what might
just as well have been called a conspi-
racious. It alleges that Colonel Lamb
has been made the victim of Richmond
schemers, who wanted a friend made
State Chairman. The circular refrains
from saying anything that would put
the State Chairman in an unfavorable
light.

"A local Republican remarked about
it to-day: 'Mr. Martin and Colonel
Lamb must think that Virginia Repub-
licans do not read the newspapers. It is
an insult to our intelligence to try to
point out such 'rot' on us. Why, the
newspapers contain the true story of Colonel
Lamb's tribulations, which he brought
on himself. We are not afraid that the
circular will do any harm.'

"The circular is not signed by General
Stith Bolling, of Petersburg, another
member of the Executive Committee,
because the General is opposed to the
methods he has adopted since he has
been State Chairman. Colonel Lamb,
of course, couldn't sign it. He has
tribulations to this sort of literature al-
ways appear over some one else's signa-
ture—namely, Mr. Martin's, or any-
body's.

"Local anti-Lamb men asserted to-
day that Colonel Lamb had stopped
boasting Mr. Reed or anybody else, in
his herculean efforts to save himself.
He has no time for anybody but him-
self, and now stands in mortal terror
of being pitched out of the chairman-
ship. They chuckle at the idea that he
can save himself. They say his case
is hopeless, and that when the State
is pledged to Reed at Staunton, the
Colonel will be invited to become a
common, everyday Republican."

It is said that a new issue will be
sprung by the military in the municipal
campaign and that the soldiers will
vote for no man for Councilman who
does not declare himself in favor of a
free army. The militia of Norfolk is
now paying an annual rental of \$1,200
to the city for the use of the armory,
and they think they should get it free,
inasmuch as other cities furnish a free
armory.

Valuable Building Lots at Auction

By direction of the owner, T. F. Rogers,
auctioneer, will sell at the Real Estate
Exchange, at 12 m. to-day, eight de-
sirable lots on the west side of Duke
street, extending from the old land-
mark to the city for the use of the armory,
and they think they should get it free,
inasmuch as other cities furnish a free
armory.

Terms—One-half cash, balance on six
and twelve months' time, interest at
6 per cent. The vendor to pay the
cost of drawing and recording deed of
trust, or the purchaser can pay all
cash.

Death of An Aged Citizen.

Mr. Miles Davis, one of the oldest men
in Norfolk, died at his home, No. 45
Frederic street, early yesterday morning,
having nearly reached the age of ninety
years. For a long time Mr. Davis con-
ducted the salikmaking business in this
city. He was a communicant of the
First Baptist Church, being its oldest
member. The immediate relatives sur-
viving him are his widow and two
daughters, Mrs. J. G. Womble, and Mrs.
T. E. Elliott.

Epworth Chime Bells.

Professors Kerner and Flitz, who
went on to Boston to inspect the chime
bells which have just been made for
Mrs. Emma Leakes of this city, to be
presented to Epworth Methodist Church,
have returned, and report that the bells,
cast in under an excellent plan, and that
they will greatly please the people of
Norfolk. The bells will be here in a
few days and will be rung for the first
time in Norfolk on Easter morning. It
is said that they cost upward of \$4,000.

To Run to West Point.

A special in yesterday's Richmond Dis-
patch from Yorktown, Va., says: "It
is now certain that the Old Dominion
Steamship Company will put on a line
between West Point and Norfolk, mak-
ing all the landings on York river. The
proposition is to run a bi-weekly
schedule, and begin about May 1st. This
will give our people access to the North-
ern markets by fast freight routes, and
be a great incentive to business."

At Auction To-Day.

Messrs. Valentine & Stevens will sell
at their auction rooms, at 10 o'clock this
morning, a large consignment of cloth-
ing, hats, shoes, dry goods, notions,
etc.; also fine show cases.

The French Government has conferred
the cross of the Legion of Honor on
Prof. F. W. Putnam, of Harvard, in
recognition of his achievements in the
field of science.

THE SONS OF VETERANS

Organized Last Night With a Membership
of Sixty Young Men.

A FULL SET OF OFFICERS ELECTED.

Several Committees Appointed by the
the New Commander Elect—To Per-
petuate the Memory of Dead South-
ern Heroes—The Full Organiza-
tion Last Night.

A large number of young men, sons
of Confederate Veterans, last night or-
ganized a camp of Sons of Veterans.
The meeting was held in the hall of
Pickett-Buchanan Camp and was called
to order by Mr. T. B. Jackson, ad-
jutant of Pickett-Buchanan Camp, and
Mr. Barton Myers was called to the
chair.

Mr. Myers, in taking the chair, said
that the young men of the South should
be brought in close touch in regard to
the incidents of the late war. He said
that although the issues were laid aside
the memories of the Southern hero
should be perpetuated.

Mr. J. H. Henry was then elected
temporary secretary.
A motion that the chair appoint a
committee of three to report a plan of
organization was adopted and Messrs.
Randolph, Ruddle, John S. Pickett and
C. B. Bryan were appointed.

The election of officers was then taken
up with the following results: John S.
Pickett, commander; John S. Pickett, first
lieutenant; Wm. Baker, second lieuten-
ant; Wm. Ruddle, third lieutenant;
Eston Randolph, paymaster; J. Hugh
Henry, adjutant; R. M. Robert Coupland,
chaplain; T. B. Jackson, Jr., ser-
geant-major; C. W. Holliday, quar-
termaster; Washington Taylor, Jr., vidette.
A motion to postpone the election of
a surgeon till the next meeting was
adopted.

The following gentlemen were then
elected to serve as an Executive Com-
mittee: Messrs. B. Myers, J. Hugh
Henry, Eston Randolph, Wm. L. Baker
and Virginia Tucker.

The chair appointed Messrs. Ran-
dolph, Bryan and Tucker as a Commit-
tee on By-Laws.

The other committees appointed
were:
On Applications for Membership—
Messrs. Baker, Randolph and Henry.
On Uniforms—Messrs. Randolph, W.
Taylor, Jr., H. C. Pickett, Woodhouse
and Ruddle.

Following is a list of those who be-
came members last night: C. W. Holli-
day, C. A. Bucky, J. S. Pickett, C. H.
Williams, H. L. Williams, J. W. Wass-
um, W. H. Wassum, J. W. Baylor,
Jr., J. G. Husky, H. H. Red, F. A.
Bryan, W. Taylor, Jr., L. A. McFarlan,
A. C. Merriam, J. L. Laughran, A.
W. Deans, W. S. Morris, A. S. Johnson,
W. C. Pettit, J. E. Keefe, A. M. Battley,
E. H. Dibbrell, H. A. Tarrall, Jr., R. K.
Denby, C. L. Foster, V. D. Walker, R.
B. Bryan, F. L. Grier, J. M. Arnold,
Wm. H. Forward, John W. Forward,
T. B. Jackson, Jr., Eston Randolph,
Robert Ruddle, Barton Myers, H. Clay
Pickett, E. K. Glenham, W. H. Hayes,
M. Henry, Jr., W. L. Baker, E. G.
Elmer, Virginia Tucker, R. B. Hobbs,
Walter Ruddle, H. A. Tarrall, H. F.
Dann, Frank Rose, J. E. Woodhouse,
John McElroy, Jr., Paul Lee Rose, C.
M. Greenwood, M. L. Greenwood, Oscar
Tom, Wm. Ruddle, Charles Ruddle,
J. Hugh Henry, T. F. Titchman, C. P.
Wilburn, H. S. Bailey, Robert Coupland.

The next meeting will be held on
Thursday, April 25th